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(Our Reference: STOHRER ET AL. - 3)

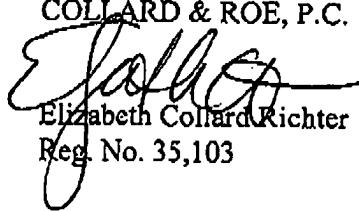
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MESSAGE:

Enclosed is an Amendment and Response to Restriction Requirement dated November 23, 2004.

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APPLICANTS: JÜRGEN STOHRER ET AL.-3

SERIAL NO.: 10/667,810

EXAMINER: H. REYES

FILED: SEPTEMBER 22, 2003

GROUP: 1625

TITLE: PROCESS FOR PREPARING ALKYNECARBOXYLIC ACIDS BY
OXIDATION OF ALKYNE ALCOHOLS

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Honorable Commissioner of Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated November 23, 2004, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on Page 9 of this paper.